

REMARKS

Claims 1-90 are currently pending in this Application, with claims 23-54 and 59-85 having been previously withdrawn. Claims 1-22, 55-58, and 86-90 have been amended. Applicant respectfully thanks the Examiner for indicating the allowable subject matter of claim 11.

In response to the 103 rejection of claims 1-10, 12-22, 55-58, and 86-90 over U.S. Patent No. 6,674,332 (hereinafter “Wunner”) in view of U.S. Patent No. 5,986,512 (hereinafter “Eriksson”), Applicant respectfully amends the allowable subject matter of claim 11 into claim 1. Applicant respectfully submits that this amendment overcomes the 103 rejection.

No new matter has been introduced by these amendments. Reconsideration and allowance of the claims are respectfully requested in view of the above amendments and the following remarks.

Applicant further and respectfully asserts that the above amendment to claim 1 is in no way an admission that the previously presented claim 1 is obvious over the proposed combination of Wunner and Eriksson.

Conclusion

All of the objections and rejections are herein overcome. In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that the instant application is in condition for allowance. No new matter is added by way of the present Amendments and Remarks, as support is found throughout the original filed specification, claims and drawings. Prompt issuance of Notice of Allowance is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicants' attorney at the below listed phone number regarding this response or otherwise concerning the present application.

Applicants hereby petition for any necessary extension of time required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) or 1.136(b) which may be required for entry and consideration of the present Reply.

If there are any charges due with respect to this Amendment or otherwise, please charge them to Deposit Account No. 06-1130 maintained by Applicants' attorneys.

Respectfully submitted,

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